



# Indigenous.Link

Canada's fastest growing Indigenous career portal, Careers.Indigenous.Link is pleased to introduce a new approach to job searching for Indigenous Job Seekers of Canada. Careers.Indigenous.Link brings simplicity, value, and functionality to the world of Canadian online job boards.

Through our partnership with Indigenous.Links Diversity Recruitment Program, we post jobs for Canada's largest corporations and government departments. With our vertical job search engine technology, Indigenous Job Seekers can search thousands of Indigenous-specific jobs in just about every industry, city, province and postal code.

Careers.Indigenous.Link offers the hottest job listings from some of the nation's top employers, and we will continue to add services and enhance functionality ensuring a more effective job search. For example, during a search, job seekers have the ability to roll over any job listing and read a brief description of the position to determine if the job is exactly what they're searching for. This practical feature allows job seekers to only research jobs relevant to their search. By including elements like this, Careers.Indigenous.Link can help reduce the time it takes to find and apply for the best, available jobs.

The team behind Indigenous.Link is dedicated to connecting Indigenous Peoples of Canada with great jobs along with the most time and cost-effective, career-advancing resources. It is our mission to develop and maintain a website where people can go to work!

Contact us to find out more about how to become a Site Sponsor.

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# Job Board Posting



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## Lead Fire Weather Forecaster

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| <b>Job ID</b>      | <b>71-FA-8D-C0-45-B5</b>  |                                 |
| <b>Web Address</b> | <a href="https://careers.indigenous.link/viewjob?jobname=71-FA-8D-C0-45-B5">https://careers.indigenous.link/viewjob?jobname=71-FA-8D-C0-45-B5</a> |                                 |
| <b>Company</b>     | BC Public Service   |                                 |
| <b>Location</b>    | Victoria, British Columbia  |                                 |
| <b>Date Posted</b> | From: 2021-09-20  | To: 2021-10-10                  |
| <b>Job</b>         | Type: Full-time   | Category: Public Administration |
| <b>Job Salary</b>  | \$72,724.97 - \$83,014.85 annually plus 3-Grid Temporary Market Adjustment  |                                 |
| <b>Languages</b>   | English   |                                 |

### Description

Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development: Victoria or Kamloops

It's your time to Achieve, Excel and Succeed

The BC Wildfire Service is a unique area of government tasked with the responsibility of preventing, managing and suppressing unwanted wildfire on the landscape. Approximately 1600 field workers - comprising technical experts, strategic thinkers and fire operations staff - are dedicated to undertaking the BCWS mandate in delivering effective wildfire management and emergency response support to protect life and values at risk, encouraging sustainable, healthy and resilient ecosystems.

The Predictive Services Unit is a multidisciplinary team within Wildfire Operations. The team consists of fire behaviour, fire weather and technology specialists who develop innovative products and services that can be utilized by other teams for their programs as well as during emergency operations (e.g Prevention and Operations). The Predictive Services Unit also: sets province-wide priorities for the fire weather and behaviour programs; oversees investment, training and education of staff and end-users; develops staff capability and capacity through working groups; sets priorities for research and development; manages the fire weather network; and ensures the technology platform for the Predictive Services Unit program is secure and reliable.

As the Lead Fire Weather Forecaster, you will be a senior professional providing expertise, leadership and direction on the analysis and interpretation of meteorological data related to fire weather forecasting to support decision making during emergency events. You will also lead the research, development and implementation of new fire weather forecasting techniques and tools to optimize forecasting capabilities within BC Wildfire Service for the diverse geography and changing climate of British Columbia.

To learn more about these B.C communities you can click on the Hello BC link here!

The BC Public Service is committed to creating a diverse workplace to represent the population we serve and to better meet the needs of our citizens. Consider joining our team and being part of an innovative, inclusive and rewarding workplace.

Qualifications for this role include:

• BSc degree in Meteorology; or qualification as an Operational Meteorologist through a recognized educational institute; or equivalent combination of education and experience

• Minimum three (3) years supervision experience

• Demonstrated experience in program and/or project management/ leadership.

Minimum of eight (8) years' experience in weather forecasting and presentation experience

• Demonstrated experience tailoring forecast to specific client needs.

• Preference for working knowledge of the Canadian Forest Fire Danger Rating System (CFFDRS)

• Preference may be given to candidates who have completed of S-490 /Advanced Wildland Fire Behaviour or equivalent.

• Valid Class 5 drivers licence.

### How to Apply

Click "Apply Now" to apply online by October 10, 2021